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BY FAX and by ECF: 718-260-2447 Hon. Judge I. Leo Glasser U.S. District Judge 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, N.Y. 11201

Re: Pizzitola v. New York City Fire Department, et al, 04 Civ. 4801 (ILG)(CLP)

Dear Judge Glasser:

cc:

I am the attorney for the City of New York. I write to request a 30-day extension of time, until December 29, 2004, to respond to the Complaint. The response was originally due today. An extension is necessary in order for me to properly investigate the claims. This is my first request for such an extension. Counsel for plaintiff consents to this extension.

Matthew Conroy, Esq. (by fax and by email)